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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Care Financing Administration

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Health Care Financing Administration.

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summary of proposed collections for public comment. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

Type of Information Collection Request: Revision of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Statistical Report on Medical Care: Eligibles, Recipients, Payments and Services; *Form No.:* HCFA-2082 (OMB# 0938-0345); *Use:* State data are reported either on the hard copy HCFA-2082 or by the Federally mandated electronic process, known as the Medicaid Statistical Information System (MSIS). These data are the basis of actuarial forecasts for Medicaid service utilization, costs of analysis, cost savings estimates and responding to requests for information from HCFA components, the Department, Congress and other customers.; *Frequency:* Quarterly and Annually; *Affected Public:* State, Local or Tribal Government; *Number of Respondents:* 53; *Total Annual*

Responses: 212; *Total Annual Hours:* 45,208.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement and any related forms for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, access HCFA's Web Site address at <http://www.hcfa.gov/regs/prdact95.htm>, or E-mail your request, including your address, phone number, OMB number, and HCFA document identifier, to Paperwork@hcfa.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786-1326. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed within 30 days of this notice directly to the OMB desk officer: OMB Human Resources and Housing Branch, Attention: Allison Eydt, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, D.C. 20503.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Center for Scientific Review; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meetings:

Purpose/Agenda: To review individual grant applications.

Name of SEP: Clinical Sciences.

Date: April 27, 1998.

Time: 3:30 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4104, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Priscilla Chen, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4104, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1787.

Name of SEP: Clinical Sciences.

Date: April 27, 1998.

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4104, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Priscilla Chen, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4104, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1787.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the above meetings due to the urgent need to meet timing limitations imposed by the grant review and funding cycle.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposal and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.306, 93.333, 93.337, 93.393-93.396, 93.837-93.844, 93.846-93.878, 93.892, 93.893, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Cancer Institute; Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given of the meeting of the National Cancer Institute Director's Consumer Liaison Group (DCLG), April 30-May 1 at the Doubletree Hotel, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD.

This meeting will be open to the public on April 30, 1998 from 9:00 a.m. to approximately 5:00 p.m., and on May 1 from 9:00 a.m. to approximately 2:30 p.m. During this time there will be discussions on: consumer/patient issues, rights and concerns regarding participation in cancer research including population and genetic studies and clinical trials; cancer control; and developing mechanisms to identify consumer advocates to serve on NCI program and policy advisory committees.

The meeting will be closed to the public on May 1 from approximately 2:45 p.m. to approximately 4:00 p.m. for discussion of confidential issues. These discussions will disclose information of a personal nature where disclosure would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Information pertaining to the meeting may be obtained from Elaine C. Lee, in the Office of Liaison Activities, National Cancer Institute, Building 31, Room 10A06, 31 Center Drive (MSC-2580), Bethesda, MD 20892-2580; or by calling telephone no. (301) 594-3194 or sending a fax to (301) 480-7558.

Attendance by the public will be limited to space available. Individuals who plan to attend the meeting and need special assistance, such as sign language